

# Measurement Science Needs for Advancing Infrastructure Delivery Workshop

## Cross-cutting and Common Themes

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# Themes

- Infrastructure at CH2MHILL
- Standardization – Data, Design, Function
- Sustainability
- Modularization, Prefabrication
- Regulatory Compliance, Permitting Interface
- Energy Management
- Productivity Measurement



# CH2M HILL

Organizational Units

Business Groups

Facilities and Infrastructure

Water

Transportation

Industrial and  
Advanced Technology

Operations and  
Management

Government, Energy and Nuclear

Government  
Facilities and  
Infrastructure

Environmental  
Services

Nuclear Services

Energy

Energy & Chemicals

Industrial Systems

Power

CPE

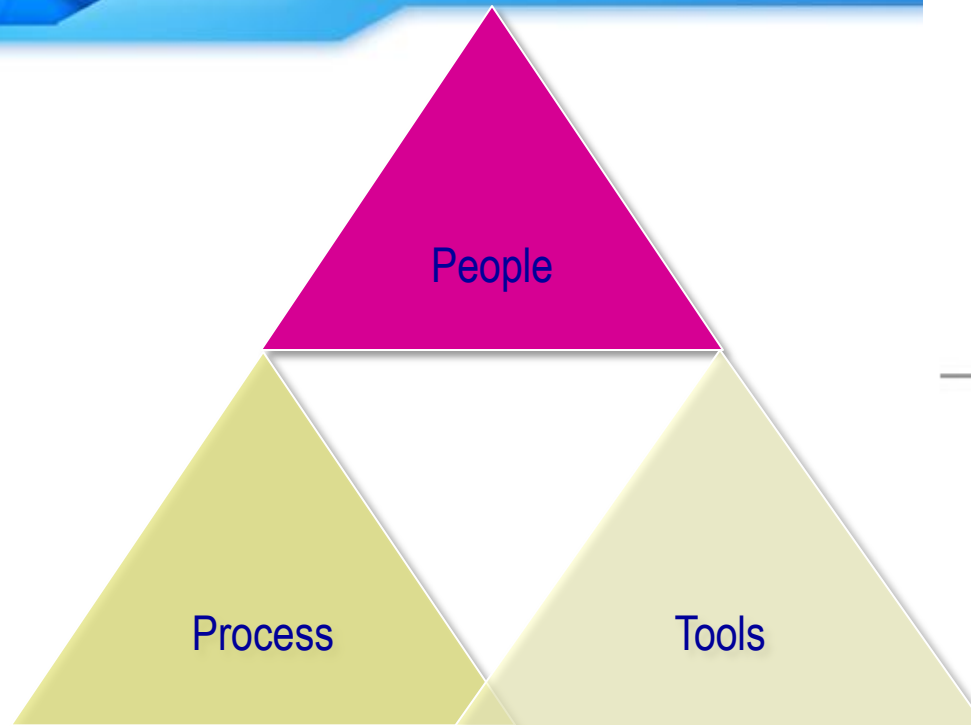
Center for  
Project  
Excellence

**CH2M HILL Maintains a  
Diverse Business  
Portfolio**





# Balance of People, Process and Tools is Essential for Deployment and use of Technology



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# Standardization

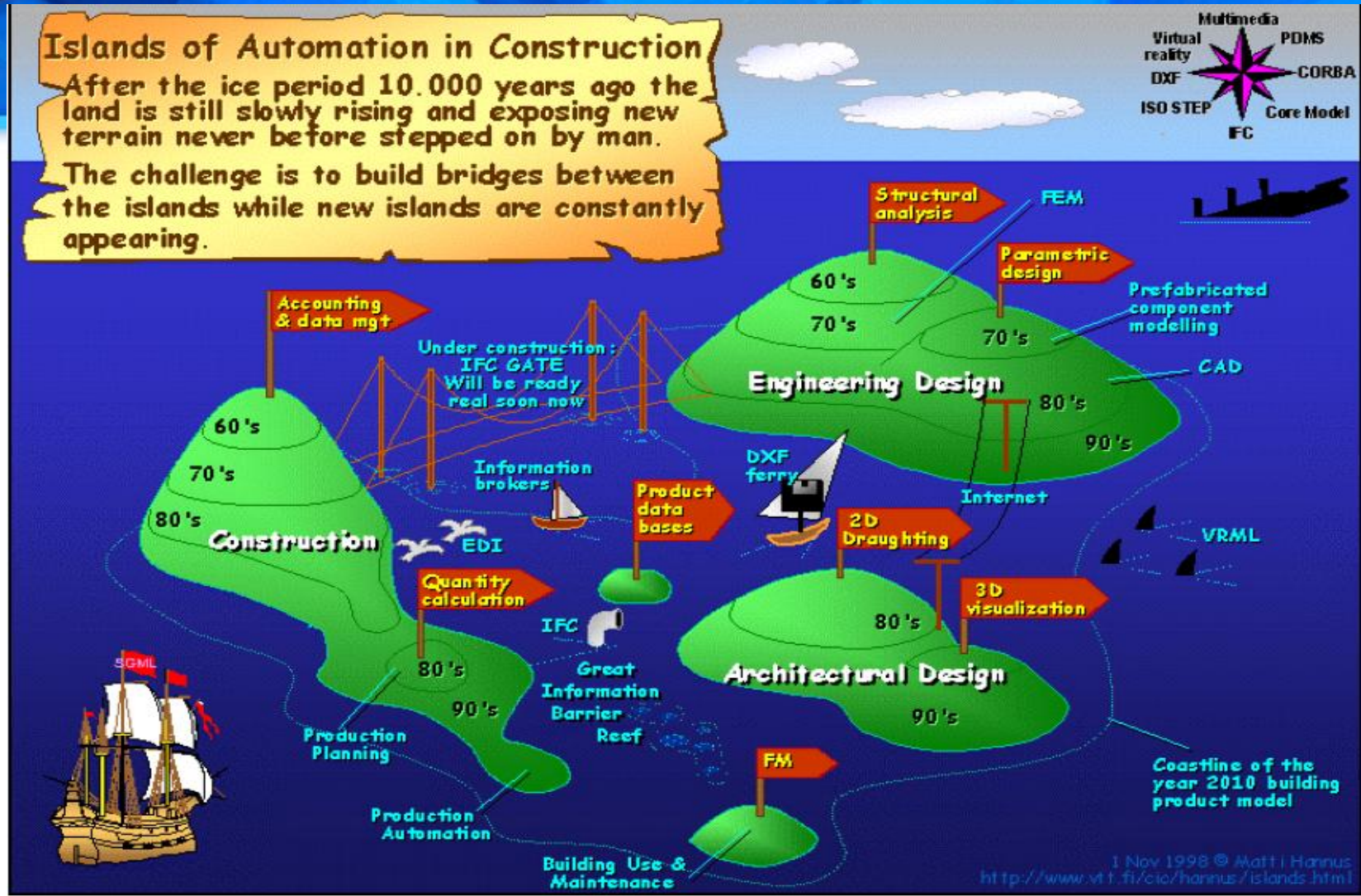
- Data Standards for project lifecycle
  - ISO 15926 PCA/FIATECH
  - AEX Equipment attributes
  - BIM National Institute of Building Sciences
- Design Standards
  - Codes, Specifications, Practices
- Best Practices – Construction Industry Institute

# Where Are We Now?

## Islands of Automation in Construction

After the ice period 10.000 years ago the land is still slowly rising and exposing new terrain never before stepped on by man.

The challenge is to build bridges between the islands while new islands are constantly appearing.





# Where We Want It To Be





# Sustainability

- Integrate sustainability values into design
- Implement sustainability approaches in site, building envelope, facilities, materials, wastes, energy, water, ecosystems, and life cycle
- Implement sustainability practices in logistics, site management – RFI Tagging
- Implement sustainability practices in O & M – Smart Sensors
- Implement sustainability objectives throughout the supply chain





# Sustainability

Optimizing Key Processes is Essential to Minimize and  
Enhance Sustainability Outcomes





# Sustainability

## Implementing Sustainability Practices in Construction

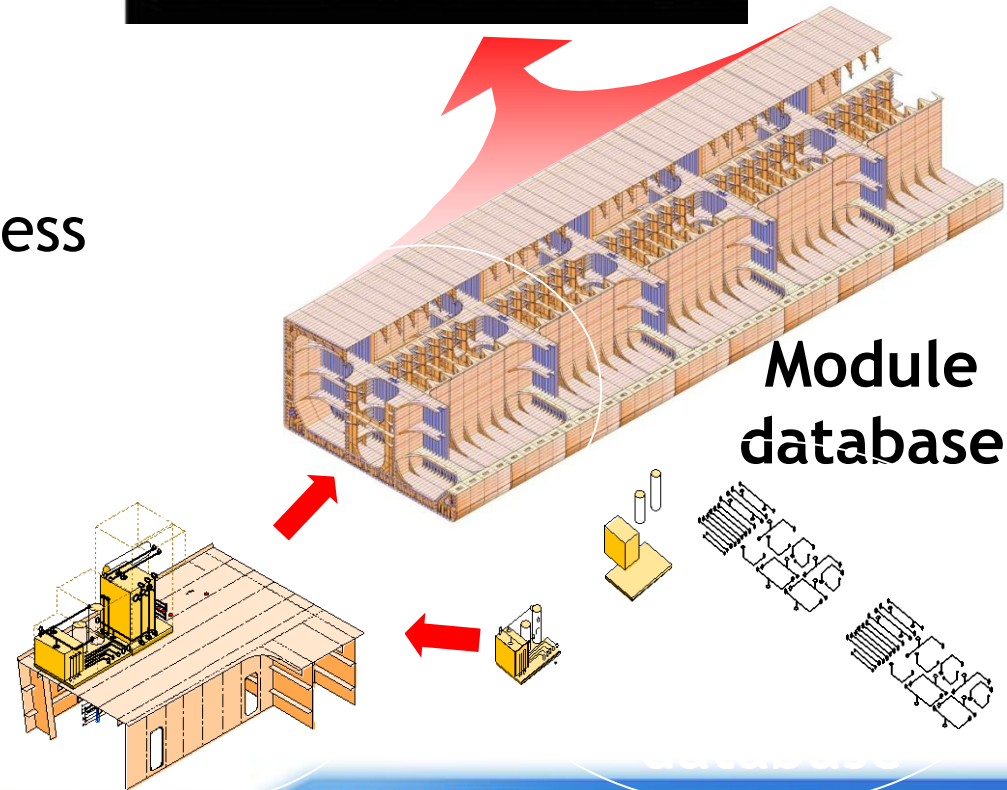
- Integrate sustainability vision/ values into construction
- Implement sustainability objectives, measurement system, and sustainability framework
- Implement sustainability approaches in
  - Logistics
  - Site Management
  - Equipment
  - Materials selection/ specification
  - Work Methods
  - Waste minimization
  - Energy systems
  - Water systems
  - Environmental Management
  - Commissioning



# Modularization & Prefabrication



- Zone identification
- Modular breakdown
- Module design/build process
- Sub-assemblies
- Parts identification







# Modularization & Prefabrication

## Manufacturing

### Advantages

- Weather independent
- Quality
- Productivity
- Safety
- Ability to use automation/robotics





# Regulatory Compliance & Permitting

- Streamline permitting and licensing
- Electronic submittal of plans and specifications
- FIATECH studies on revamping permitting practices
- Codes and Standards review and alignment (Domestic and International)
- Public awareness and communications



# Energy Management

- Building Systems
- Alternative fuels usage
- Real time sensors and corrective actions
- Simulations and analysis





# Productivity Measurement

- Advanced PCMS
  - CII RT 244
- KPI – Key Performance Indicators
  - RS-220 Leading Indicators during Project Execution
- Information Manager Role
  - Position to manage information flow through Project Life Cycle
- Performance Metrics for Intelligent Systems (PerMIS'10)
  - NIST Workshops



# Questions

Next, Breakout Outlines for Work Groups